| S No | Name of District | Name of Electronic Exchanges |
|------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 47 | Paun | 7 |
| 48 | Pratapgarh | 6 |
| 49 | Philibhit | 10 |
| 50 | Pithoragarh | 9 |
| 51 | Raebareli | 7. |
| 52 | Rampur | 7 |
| 53 | Saharanpur | 5 |
| 54 | Shahjahanpur | 12 |
| 55 | Sitapur | 6 |
| 56 | Sonbhadra | 6 |
| 57 | Tehn Garwal | 10 |
| 58 | Unnao | 7 |
| 59 | Uttarkashi | 3 |
| 60 | Varansı | 13 |

[English]

Thermal Power Station at Kanyakumari

5222 SHRI N DENNIS Will the Minister of POWER AND NON CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government propose to set up a thermal power station at Kanyakuman district of Tamil Nadu, and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) (a) and (b) No proposal for installation of a Thermal Power Station at Kanyakumari has been received from the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board

SC/ST Pilots in Indian Airlines and Air India

5223 SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND

TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there are institutions aided/ recognised by the Government for imparting pilot training;
- (b) if so, the names of such institutions running at present locationwise, period of training and the total number of pilots trained so far by each of the institutions including number of trained pilots belongoing to the scheduled Castes/scheduled Tribes, and
- (c) the total strength of the pilots in Indian Airlines/Air India etc. and the number of pilots belonging to the SC/ST at present, separately?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO

SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) Training for pilots is being imparted at Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Uran Akademy (IGRUA) at Fursatgani (U.P.) and 26 flying club in different parts of the country listed in the statement. There is no prescribed duration for pilot training. A student utilising the subsidised flying is supposed to complete his Private Pilot Licence training in not more than 3 years. At IGRUA, the duration of training for a commercial pilot licence course is 18 months. The total number of pilot trained at IGRUA is 188 of whom 7 belong to SC/ ST categories. There is no reservation for SC/ST categories in the matter of training imparted by flying clubs.
 - 'c) The particulars are as under:-

| | Total Number of pilots | Pilots belonging to SC category | Pilots belonging to ST category |
|-----------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Indian Airlines | 608 | 23 | 4 |
| Air India | 343 | 11 | • |
| Vayudoot | 141 | 1 | 2 |

STATEMENT

- 1. The Andhra Predesh Flying Club, Hyderabad Airport, Hyderabad-500011.
- 2. The Bombay Flying Club, Juhu Aerodrome, Santacruz (West), Bombay-400049.
- 3. The Gujarat Flying Club Civil Aerodrome, Harni Road, Baroda-390006.
- 4. The Madhya Pradesh Flying Club Ltd. Civil Aerodrome, Indore-453005.
- The Madras Flying Club Ltd, Civil Airport, Madras Airport P.O. Madras-600027.

- 6. The Delhi Flying Club Ltd. Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi-110003.
- 7. The Coimbatore Flying Club Ltd. Civil Aerodrome Post, Coimbatore-641014.
- 8. The Kerala Aviation Training Centre. Civil Aerodrome, Petttah P.O. Trivandrum-695024
- 9. The Banasthali Vidyapith Gliding & Flying Club, Banasthali Vidyapith-304022 (Rajasthan)
- 10. The Nagpur Flying Club, Sonegaon Aerodrome Nagpur-440005.
 - 11. The Jamshedpur Cooperative